PATENT APPLICATION

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For:

OIL AND FAT FOR PRODUCING CONFECTIONERY, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE

SAME, AND PRODUCT USING THE SAME

SUBMISSION OF EXECUTED DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.132/REQUEST FOR TELEPHONE INTERVIEW

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Sir:

Applicants attach hereto for the Examiner's consideration a DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 by Junichi Tamura setting forth certain experimentation in traversal of the outstanding rejections.

The Examiner is requested to consider the same and Applicants would respectfully request a telephone interview after the Examiner has had a chance to consider the DECLARATION... so that the issue of patentability may be discussed.

Respectfully submitted,

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